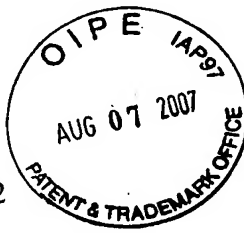


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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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